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Rivermont

ORCHIDS

SIGNAL MOUNTAIN, TENNESSEE

February, 1952 Seedling Offering
April-May-June Flowering Seedlings

Expires March 31, 1952

These seedlings are ready for transplanting into 1-3/4", 2" and 2-1/2" pots. Please give an alternate choice.

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(C. MOSSIAE x C. WHITE EMPRESS) x (C. MOSSIAE x C. WHITE EMPRESS) A planned hybrid, expected to produce well-formed flowers of heavy texture for Easter. Glistening white petals 3" wide with 7" to 7-1/2" spread, very wide, ruffled lips with golden throats describe the Bow Bell-like parents. Available ONLY in Community Pots: \$7.50

R-1626 C. HENTSCHELLII (C. DUPREANA x C. GIGAS, Hamilton variety) A proven cross outstanding for its high productivity during May and June--the months of graduations and weddings. The DUPREANA selected for this mating has an excellent bloom record, bearing very dark, heavy textured flowers of 3-1/4" width and 8" spread. The GIGAS blooms are broad with flat sepals and petals of superior form. The background of the varietal parents plus the excellent vigor of the seedlings assure an improved HENTSCHELLII. Available ONLY in Community Pots: \$7.50

R-1647 (C. MOSSIAE x C. WHITE EMPRESS) x C. SWAN. This is also a planned Easter hybrid. Both parents are prolific April-May bloomers of heavy well-formed flowers with petals averaging 3" in width and 7" spread. Pure white ruffled lips with golden throats are characteristic of both parents. Available ONLY in Community Pots: \$7.50

R-1650 C. DOROTHY PHELPS x (C. MOSSIAE x C. WHITE EMPRESS) Duplicate crosses to produce heavy textured, well-formed whites for Mother's Day. The Dorothy Phelps has produced consistently lovely whites averaging 3-1/8" wide and 8" spread for the May-June period. This combined with the Bow-Bell-like qualities of our outstanding (C. MOSSIAE x C. WHITE EMPRESS) hybrid should give a fine white flower at a most desirable time of the year. Available ONLY in Community Pots: \$7.50

R-1671 (C. DUPREANA, var. June x LC. PRINCESS MARGARET, var. Content, F.C.C., MOS) In this crossing we have combined the floriferousness and ease of growing qualities of the Dupreana with this fine Princess Margaret. The Dupreana used produces blooms of dark, well-shaped sepals and petals with a broad, deep velvety rose lip. The awarded Princess Margaret possesses beautifully shaped, dark rose sepals and petals and an unusually large, crimson-tipped lip. We expect this cross to be highly productive of heavy textured, well formed flowers for the May-June season. Available ONLY in Transplanted Flasks: \$15.00

